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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: General Lauris Norstad, CORONA and ARCON Clearances

1. On 7 December 1961, [] of my staff received a telephonic request from Colonel Herrington of the Joint Chiefs of Staff for approval for CORONA and ARCON clearances for General Norstad. Colonel Herrington explained that later this month the Secretary of Defense and Dr. Marvin Stern of DDR&E will visit General Norstad in Europe and wish to discuss these Projects with the General at that time. Colonel Herrington also mentioned that Generals Lemnitzer and Carroll concurred with this request.

2. [] referred this request to Mr. Parangosky, who approved the clearances. It was learned that Colonel Ruzek of DDR&E will conduct the briefings in Europe early in the week of 10 December 1961.

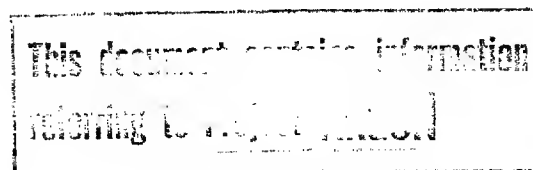
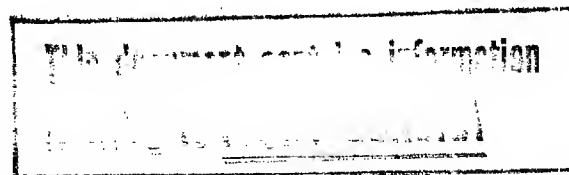
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